

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Susan Marie Cox et al.
Serial No. : 10/021,961
Filed : December 13, 2001
For : IDENTIFYING SUBSTREAMS IN
PARALLEL/SERIAL DATA LINK
Examiner : David C. Payne
Group Art Unit : 2613
Customer No. : 46628
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.17 (a)

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a two-month extension of time in which to respond to the Examiner's Office Action mailed, May 17, 2006 in which a three-month period for response expired on August 17, 2006. After granting the Request for a two-month extension of time, the response period will expire on October 17, 2006. Please charge Deposit Account No. 09-0465 in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the two-month extension fee.

No other fees are believed necessary, however if additional fees are required please charge deposit account No. 09-0465.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Brian M. Dugan', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

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